

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77594

Jean STEINMETZ, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/670,513

Group Art Unit: 1793

Confirmation No.: 8638

Examiner: Lois L. ZHENG

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For: METHOD FOR TREATING METAL SURFACES BY CARBOXYLATION

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
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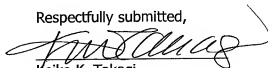
Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

	After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For						
All Claims	46	-	25	=	21	X	\$52.00	=	\$1092.00
Independent	2	-	3	=	0	X	\$220.00	=	\$0.00
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The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$1092.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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